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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of : Flannery, Michael R.  
Appl. No. : 09/346,283  
Filed : July 1, 1999  
Art Unit : 2815  
Examiner : Diaz, Jose R.  
Title : INTEGRATED CIRCUIT WITH UNIFIED INPUT DEVICE,  
MICROPROCESSOR AND DISPLAY SYSTEMS  
Attorney Docket No. : P1192US00 (450.202US1)

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO THE OFFICE ACTION DATED  
AUGUST 5, 2004**

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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated August 5, 2004, for which the three month shortened statutory period for reply is set to expire on November 5, 2004. In this Response, Applicant has kept the number of independent claims to five (5) and has increased the total number of claims from twenty-two (22) to twenty-three (23). Due to this change, authorization to charge fees of \$18 has been submitted with this Response. While Applicant believes that no other fees for this Response are necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required for this Response, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0439.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.



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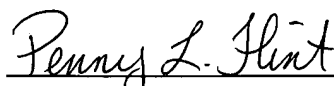
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**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL**

Please find transmitted herewith:

1. Amendment and Response to the Office Action dated August 5, 2004.
2. A duplicate copy of this transmittal, transmitted for accounting purposes only.

### FEE FOR EXCESS CLAIMS

The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. § 1.16 (b)-(d) has been calculated as shown below:

Independent claims in excess of 3 added:	0 X \$88.00 = \$ 0.00
Total number of claims in excess of 20 added:	1 X \$18.00 = <u>\$ 18.00</u>
The total additional fee for claims required is :	<u><b>\$ 18.00</b></u>

### FEE PAYMENT

The Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account N° 50-0439 for the amount of \$18.00. While it is believed that no additional extension of time or any other additional fees are necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to grant any needed extension of time and to charge any additional fees which may be required for this Response, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account N° 50-0439. A copy of this transmittal is enclosed for accounting purposes.

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Respectfully Submitted,  
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